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No Hope For a Decline In Naval Expenditure

TAFT INDECIDED BUT SITUATION HOPELESS

No Effort Made by Dominion Government to Secure the Minimum Rates—The French Treaty is in the Way.

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 14.—At the end of a four-hour conference with his tariff advisers to-day, President Taft had not arrived at a decision as to the action he will take with respect to extending to Canada and France the 25 per cent. reduction in tariff rates, which he is allowed to grant to nations that are shown to be not "unduly discriminatory" against the United States.

It is said that the situation with respect to Canada is all but hopeless, and the indications are that the biggest and nearest neighbor of the United States may be the one important country to which the maximum rates of the Payne-Aldrich law will have to be applied.

Negotiations looking to a settlement with France are progressing satisfactorily. It is said a new proposal was received from France to-day, and it was intimated that a settlement by which France may send its products to the United States under the 25 per cent. reduction clause is not far from complete, however, and another hitch may occur at any time.

No Effort by Canada. President Taft is charged with deciding from all the facts available just what nations unduly discriminate against the United States and may extend a 25 per cent. reduction in all rates to those nations not included in this unfavorable list.

Canada is said to have made no effort to secure this preferential treatment from the United States. It is declared in fact that the Dominion Government left no doubt but that President Taft do otherwise than allow the maximum rates automatically to go into effect against imports from that country.

In this connection it is pointed out that the maximum rates of the American tariff law against imports from the United States, which are imposed under the Dingley law, are even greater under the Payne-Aldrich tariff.

No Lapse. While imposing this higher duty against the United States it is declared that Canada has given to France a reduction in duties of from 2 to 5 per cent. from prevailing rates, and imposed upon the Dominion Government, but has been automatically extended to twelve other nations, under the most favored nation rule. In these circumstances, as no proposal looking toward successful negotiations is forthcoming from Canada, American authorities see practically no hope of a settlement.

Present at the conference with President Taft to-day were Secretary of State Knox, Senator Aldrich, Henry M. Hoyt, counselor of the state department, Chas. M. Pepper, tariff expert of the department of commerce and labor, and Messrs. Emery, Reynolds and Sanders, of the new tariff board.

J. A. Macdonald of Toronto was expected to be a visitor at the White House during the conference, but did not see the president.

NO STATEMENT FROM OTTAWA. Negotiations Confidential, is Mr. Fielding's Explanation.

OTTAWA, March 14.—(Special.)—In the house to-day, R. L. Borden enquired as to the tariff negotiations which had taken place between representatives of the Canadian and United States governments.

Mr. Fielding replied that there had been no negotiations at Ottawa between two representatives of the United States Government, and the members of the Canadian cabinet, but they were necessarily of a confidential nature.

27 Dreadnoughts By January, '13

Britain's Security on Sea, Thru This Type of Battleship, Will Then Be Secure, Says McKenna.

LONDON, March 14.—Introducing the navy estimates in the house of commons to-day, Reginald McKenna, first lord of the admiralty, expressed regret that he was unable to hold out any hope for the future of a decline of the estimates.

He defended the present large increase, which he said had been rendered necessary by the building program of foreign nations. An expenditure of over \$200,000,000 was imperative to properly safeguard the security of the country and to provide against contingencies.

Mr. McKenna explains that, counting the Australian and New Zealand ships, which would still be in British waters, Great Britain would have, in the summer of 1912, 27 Dreadnoughts, while in the following January five Dreadnoughts in addition to this year's program, would be added to the fleet, and thus Great Britain's security thru this type of ship would be absolutely certain.

M'KENNA AND BERESFORD CLASH DURING DEBATE

Lord of Admiralty Accuses Veteran of Making a Misstatement—Early Vote on the Budget.

LONDON, March 14.—An interesting phase of the political situation to-day was Premier Asquith's announcement in the house of commons that the budget would be re-introduced and disposed of before he house rises for the spring recess.

Lord Rosebery, when speaking of the budget, declared that it was in general believed that the Nationalists will abstain from voting, which would mean the passing of the budget. If the budget is defeated there is no doubt the government will resign and go to the country again on the question of the budget and the reform of the house of lords.

The debate on the naval estimates in the house of commons was noteworthy for the heated controversy between Lord Charles Beresford and Reginald McKenna, first lord of the admiralty, the latter finally accusing Lord Charles of making a "misstatement."

Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary, in a strong speech at the Liberal banquet, in London to-night, declared that he was not sufficient to limit the veto of the lords, but that the upper house must be radically reformed.

A single chamber, he said, would result in a "disaster, in disaster, death and damnation."

ADDITIONAL ESTIMATES OF FINANCE MINISTER

Total \$2,300,000—Repairing the Break in the Soo Canal. Cost \$135,000.

OTTAWA, March 14.—(Special.)—Subsidiary estimates for the current year amounting to \$2,302,117, were tabled in the commons to-day by Hon. W. S. Fielding, of this city, \$1,718,830 is allocable to consolidated fund, and \$583,287 to capital, while the rest covers "unprovided items."

The items include: Expenditures for the current year, \$25,000; Repairing Sault Ste. Marie Canal break, \$135,000; Port Arthur and Fort William harbor improvements, \$425,000; Tiffin harbor improvements, \$25,000; Victoria Harbor improvements, \$56,000; Guelph public buildings, \$175,000; Improvement of northern channel in Georgian Bay at Little Current, \$41,200; Dredging approaches to Sault Ste. Marie wharves, \$14,500; Dredging in Maritime Provinces, \$245,000; Subsidy to Canada-Mexico steamship service, \$14,666; Subsidy to mail service between Canada and Cuba, \$15,000; Transportation and conservation of fish, \$20,000; Fish protection service, \$20,000.

AFTER CANADIAN TRADE

German Exporters Are Enthusiastic in Their Preparations.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) BERLIN, March 14.—A Canada House business for supplying information about trade opportunities in the Dominion, has been opened here.

ROSEBERY'S PLAN WON'T PREVENT DEADLOCKS

Objection Which Viscount Morley Takes—Rosebery Would Put Limit to Elective Proposals.

LONDON, Eng., March 14.—The house of lords entered upon a discussion to-day of the ordinance proposed by Lord Rosebery preparatory to the radical reform of the upper chamber.

The great crowd present indicated the general interest in the subject. Not a seat in the chamber was vacant when Lord Rosebery rose to move that the house resolve itself into a committee of the whole to consider the best means of reforming the existing organization so as to constitute itself a strong and efficient second chamber.

At the same time, he presented a set of resolutions to the effect that there was a necessity of a strong and efficient second chamber for the well-being of the state; that such a chamber would be best obtainable by the reform and reconstitution of the house of lords; and that a necessary preliminary to such reform and reconstitution was the acceptance of the principle that the possession of a peerage in itself should no longer afford the right to sit and vote in the house of lords.

Lord Rosebery declared that the time had come for a reform from within without waiting for the government to carry out its proposals to hamstring the peers and so enucleate the house of lords that it would become no better than a painted chamber in which no self-respecting peer would care to sit.

He said that it was wished to establish the elective principle, but it must not be thru popular elections, but by elections by associations, corporations and county councils.

Lord Rosebery incurred scorn upon the suggestion of a single chamber, which he declared was a proposal to dig the grave of the empire. In America, he said, the veto of the senate was stronger than was ever the veto of a sovereign. He trembled at the scorn of the United States when contemplating Great Britain's one-eyed, one-legged search for a constitution.

Referring to the government's anti-veto proposals, Lord Rosebery said that would be the effect on the empire when these resolutions of the government were made known.

He did not need to say some diminution of confidence in an empire guided by a single chamber is liable to every form of impudence, every gust of popular enthusiasm. Your strength as a centre will not allow any forcing of the pace for your colonies. They will shake the faith of every external application only. Are they of no use to the mother country, which insisted on our receiving them, something very unwillingly?

"If this is not, deliberately digging the grave of my empire, I cannot conceive of anything else. (Cheers.) You will have shaken the faith of every external application only. Are they of no use to the mother country, which insisted on our receiving them, something very unwillingly?"

The house of lords adjourned the debate after a discussion which revealed marked difference of opinion as to the value of Lord Rosebery's proposal.

Viscount Morley expressed surprise that Lord Rosebery had not stated that the government's proposals pointed out that the Rosebery plan of reform would entirely fail to remove the possibility of future deadlocks arising between the two houses, which was the real difficulty to be solved.

THE FIRST MAPLE SYRUP.

On Saturday and Sunday there was a big run of sap in the "Dionian" sugar bush, and 3000 gallons of syrup was evaporated on Monday's boil. This is now on sale at McEwen's, and is the earliest made at any point in Canada. It is delicious, pure and fragrant of the maple hillsides.

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Campaign for Home and Gymnasium Should Appeal to All Who Feel the Need of Social Services.

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BENEFIT PERFORMANCE TO HELP NEWSIES' HOME

Feature Attractions of Big Theatres Will Be Given at Royal Alexandra Friday to Swell Building Fund.

Friday is the next day to remember. So make a note of it now, and make no engagement for the afternoon of that day till you have consulted your favorite newspaper merchant this morning.

On that day a benefit performance will be given in the Royal Alexandra Theatre. All the proceeds will go to swell the amount the newsboys have now for the erection of a Newsies' Home and Gym.

The newsboys will be around to-day with tickets for the performance, which will be sold for the small sum of one dollar. As the program is going to embrace some of the hits of the dollar and a half attractions, it is easy guessing that those who patronize the newsboys will have their money's worth and a little better. So, buy a ticket, and then go over to the Alexandra and exchange it for a seat.

By so doing you will at the same time help along the cause of the army of street boys, who want a place where they can eat, a bath or employ their minds with good reading, or stretch their limbs on the horizontal bars. This is the meaning of the campaign that the boys have undertaken. They are going to raise twenty thousand dollars to erect a club-house where they will have the advantages that fall to the more fortunate boys.

Environment has much to do with making character. Look at our foremost citizens. Are they the product of the gutter? Had they been forced to climb from the streets would they be occupying the positions they now occupy? Of course there are a few men who have risen to great heights from low stations in life, but then, they had great gifts to start with. But with the majority of men their environment and opportunities during adolescence made them what they are to-day. Given a chance they rise—they have risen.

Look at our newsboys. Have they half a chance? They must, perforce, be content with evil companions. They are in the streets, and few people, apparently, in Toronto do the good, Toronto the City of Churches, care whether or not they ever come out. The newsboys are cast upon their own resources.

No one is looking after the welfare of the boys. They have no good example to follow. Many of them have never been taught to distinguish between good and bad. If the police get after them for gambling, stealing, or swearing, they think they are persecuted.

Give Them a Chance. A movement is now on foot to give these neglected boys a chance. It cannot be denied that it will be a good work. The boys will be given a chance to learn how to become decent citizens.

Efforts were made to teach them how to live better lives. Many will be saved from lives of crime. In order to provide for the future welfare of the country we must look after and educate the boys who will soon be men. This project is worthy of the support of all. There should be no difficulty in raising the needed amount in a short time.

How would you like to be one of the boys? Reverse your positions. If you were one of them would you admire the man who has refused to lend a helping hand? Honest, now, would you?

Think it over. Look at the boys and shudder when you think of their handiwork. How would you like to start their way again under such conditions? Will you not help?

CITY THROTTLED BY CORPORATE POWER

Council Appoints Special Committee to Investigate Traction Situation and Report on Scheme to Serve New Districts.

Appointed special committee to prepare general plan for underground railways and surface lines. Voted to give all policemen one day off in seven. Approved extension of car lines into Rosedale subject to satisfactory agreement as to terms.

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This was decided upon by the council yesterday, acting on a motion by Ald. McCarthy. The committee will be composed of Controller, Ward, Ald. Hilton, O'Neill, Maguire, McMurich, Graham, McCarthy and Baird, with the mayor as an ex-officio member.

The resolution sets out that the control of the city's streets is constantly menaced by radial railway companies asking for legislation giving them an independent entrance to the city, that it is desirable that the city provide entrance in proper terms, and that "it is absolutely necessary that steps be taken at once to provide certain outlying districts with street car accommodation and, if possible, to improve the services through the city."

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A RETROSPECT.

March 15, 1814—The governor, at the Castle of St. Louis, Quebec, had a "talk," a conference with chiefs and warriors of the Mohawks, Ottawas, Chippewas, Seneca, Foxes, Shawnees, Kickapoos and Winabagos. When they departed for the west they were loaded down with presents.

March 15, 1845—Father Boleac landed on Vancouver Island; the first priest on the island.

March 15, 1879—The national policy went into effect.

March 15, 1886—Ten thousand volunteers enrolled to defend Canada against invasion by Fenians.

March 15, 1871—Opening of the new legislature, Manitoba.

March 15, 1896—Opening of the new legislature, Alberta.

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BOOKS OPEN TOO LONG

Eastern Shareholders of Nova Scotia Steel Make Protest.

MONTREAL, March 14.—(Special.)—Nova Scotia Steel stock sold on the Montreal market this afternoon at 90, the highest price at which it has sold for a long time.

There was further heavy buying of the stock by the eastern interests in anticipation of the annual meeting, to be held March 20. Considerable surprise and dissatisfaction was expressed to-day with the announcement that the company's books would not be closed until April 1. Such action, it is claimed by the eastern interests, is unprecedented, as the usual custom is to close the books some time prior to the annual meeting. Unless this is done, it is maintained that the transfer books are kept in Montreal and Toronto, while the annual meeting is held in New Glasgow. It will be impossible to have proper lists showing the shareholders who are entitled to vote. A debate over such matters should be made for an early closing of the books.

WHAT'S THE USE? The older we grow the more we are forced to realize that the quality of the clothing is first to be considered. Take a hat for instance. The English made hat is all quality, and the style is always designed to suit the features of the well-groomed Englishman. It is even more becoming to the American or Canadian. The Dimsen Company are sole Canadian agents for Henry Heath of London, England, and for many other British makers. Look over the new block, you are sure to find something to please you.



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ONE CATARACT CONTRACT THAT COUNCIL THREW OUT

Amount Not Much, But Principle's the Thing—Adult Bible Class Federation Proceedings.

HAMILTON, March 14.—(Special.)—When a contract with the Cataract Power Company for power for a 25-horsepower motor at the stone quarry was brought into council this evening, every Catechist member found so many of the clauses in it objectionable, that it was allowed to stand over. The contract was for a year at \$300, although the city uses power, only for five or eight months. The mayor objected because he thought it provided that the city must pay the cost of transformers, and Aid Farmer also objected because the power was restricted to uses which the company approved of, and it also provided that if the city at any time used more than 25 horse-power, it had to pay for the additional quantity until the end of the contract period.

Children's Hospital Fund.—Ald. Barrett caused a surprise by demanding to know if the mayor was a trustee of the sick children's hospital fund. The mayor replied in the negative, and the alderman said the public should know that the project had not been endorsed by the council. Although he did not assume the trusteeship of the fund unless he were given the details from the time the first ticket was sold, Ald. Farmer said he understood that Mr. Stewart, one of the trustees, had asked for a statement as to the fund and had received a letter from a firm of lawyers referring to give the statement. Ald. Elliott said it should be given the widest publicity that the council was not behind the scheme.

Hamilton Bible Society.—The Hamilton branch of the Bible Society held its annual meeting this evening. James Henderson, the treasurer, reported receipts of \$1112, and a balance of \$319. Officers elected: Rev. Dr. Fletcher, president; A. Alexander, Adam Brown, J. J. Gray, S. P. Lazier, K.C., George Rutherford, vice-presidents; A. Powell, recording secretary; Rev. J. Young, corresponding secretary; James Henderson, treasurer. Executive committee: Rev. Thomas Taylor, Seneca Jones, Chas. Duff, J. B. Griffith, G. H. Milne, W. J. Hobson, Sinclair G. Richardson, George H. Richardson, Thos. S. Morris, R. C. McLaren, Alexander Stewart, Jas. Walker, W. J. Haugh, Geo. Slack, David Fraser, James Milman, J. W. Graham, Norman Slater, and J. Bowland.

Lady S. S. Teachers.—Rev. E. W. Halpeny caused a stir at this afternoon's session of the adult Bible Class Federation by stating that women teachers in Sunday schools for boys over 12 years of age, were not a success. One of the deficiencies of the city, he said, was the number of lady teachers. Rev. J. B. Paul in took exception to his remarks and at the evening session Mr. Halpeny declared that he had been misunderstood.

At the afternoon-session T. F. Best, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., said there were 1218 young men in the city between the ages of 16 and 35 years, and fewer than 4000 were enrolled in the 38 evangelistic churches of the city. Chief speakers were E. H. Darling, C. P. McGregor and W. R. Moody.

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Morrill gave notice of motion to have the assessment rolls amended. The motion was in session for only an hour and adopted, with the exception of a few clauses, all the committee reports. Abner Fraser was appointed as one of the city auditors. The proposal to give E. T. Wright & Co. permission to build a switch to their factory on Cathcart-street was referred back.

Complaint was made this morning to the board of control that the contractor who bought the Str. Allan Macnab burial plot was preparing to turn it into a gravel pit. This contractor had been given a permit from the city, which will probably be refused. The board will ask the council to tender a civic reception to the governor-general, when he visits the city on April 22 to speak at the banquet of St. George's Society.

David James, McGill-street, who was arrested on the charge of carrying a revolver, was allowed to go this morning after having spent a week in jail, which Magistrate Jeff reckoned as being equal to a fine of \$25.

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TORONTO MEN GUILTY OF AN ODOUS CRIME

Convicted at Buffalo of Participation in White Slave Traffic—Scene in Court by Girl.

BUFFALO, March 14.—William Wilson of Toronto, charged with bringing an alien woman to this country for immoral purposes, was sentenced by Justice Hazel in the U. S. District Court this afternoon to 18 months in the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga.

Wilson made a plea for mercy. After the sentence he walked back to his cell and murmured joyfully: "Gee, I thought sure I'd get five years." Wilson is the first man accused of the white slave traffic in Buffalo to plead not guilty, and thereby forced to stand on the stand.

On the stand, Ethel Taylor admitted she had been living in an immoral life in Toronto. She insisted that Wilson had promised to marry her. To offset this testimony, the prosecution introduced a letter from Wilson to her, which had been seized when she was arrested, in which Wilson said: "If the authorities say anything, tell them you are my wife. You are supposed to be my wife, remember that. Remember, too, that you will just be supposed."

Thru Edward Armstrong's testimony it was brought out that he is what is known in Canada as an "English maintenance man," receiving money from an estate in the old country to which he is heir. He was the party's financier. He insisted that he had intended to marry Agnes Fletcher, and that this was still his intention, whether he was sent to prison or not.

The Taylor girl was also brought out to admit that she had been convicted of various crimes, from street fighting to larceny. It was also brought out that when he was last convicted, but a few days before he left Toronto, for street fighting, the Taylor girl paid his fine. He had been known as William Goldberg, as Emil Rosenberg and as William Wilson.

Armstrong, on taking the stand, admitted that he had been convicted of larceny twice, but had been allowed to go on promising to leave Canada. He insisted that his reason for coming here was because his brother-in-law in Toronto objected to his marrying the Fletcher girl there.

Agnes Fletcher insisted, as did all the women of the stand, that she was not married as soon as she reached here. When the district attorney referred to her and the other girl as "women of the street," the stammered her feet, surging from her chair and rushing screaming from the court-room. In the corridor she pulled off her pony coat and jumped on it. Court attendants had to subdue her. After being out ten to ten minutes, the jury returned with a verdict of guilty, as charged. Armstrong was not sentenced, however. His lawyer pleaded for clemency because he had pleaded guilty. Sentence will be passed on him to-morrow.

An exploded lamp destroyed the residence of Charles B. Hale at Clifton.

YORK COUNTY West Toronto North Toronto East Toronto

MELROSE COMPANY PLAN TO WIDEN YONGE ST.

Sir William Mulock Will Donate 10 Feet Frontage—County Happenings.

NORTH TORONTO, March 14.—(Special.)—P. C. Jarvis, appeared on behalf of Melrose Co. before the parallel streets committee to-night and urged the committee to divert the parallel road some 200 feet to the west on Franklin-avenue to connect with Victoria-avenue, and to make a crescent out of such diversion.

The clerk was instructed to ask the corporation to have a joint meeting arranged between the two councils, and the Cemetery Trust at early date to re-proceeding of the road thru Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

There is an enthusiastic movement on foot in the Bedford Park to organize a cricket club, and prospects are of the brightest for a young and vigorous club during the coming summer.

Do not forget the lecture in the Methodist Church, on the evening, when Rev. Z. One of Tokio, Japan, will lecture.

The Maple Leaf Social Club, having for its object the promotion of social work in the city, has been successfully launched with these officers:

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Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

GAYLITY

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

AL REEVES AND HIS BIG BEAUTY SHOW

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

STAR BURLESQUE

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

RIVERDALE ROLLER RINK

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

St. Patrick's Carnival

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

ROGERS' COAL

Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

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Next Week—Seats Thursday MERRY WIDOW

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Sleigh Robes at Less Than Half Price

ALSO SKINS WITH MOUNTED HEADS.

Black and grey goat and imitation Buffalo robes; and bear, leopard and black wolf skins. Everyone below half price.

Men's Fur Coats at Less Than Half Price

Some are fur-lined, with cloth shells. Wombat, Corsican lamb and China dog coats, lamb-lined coats with marmot collar and muskrat lined with Canadian otter collar. All below half price.

Men's and Boys' Ties, Wednesday, Each 5c

Nothing specially new about the patterns or styles—they're silk shield bows of the usual bow shape, the principal thing about these is the price we're asking—because through these we can utilize the pieces of silk left from our better grade ties. We can afford to sell them at this price—the only thing is a quantity is not always available—lots here Wednesday. 6 for 25c, or each 5c.

Strong Shirts For Workmen, 59c

Men's heavy drill shirts, black with small white stripe, this is a larger shirt than the usual size, is wider and longer in the body and longer sleeves, collar attached, yoke double-stitched, felled seams; sizes 14 to 18. Remarkable value at 59c.

Time to Buy Spring Underwear

Men's Fine Spring Weight Merino Underwear, shirts or drawers, natural color, plain weave, close ribbed cuffs, and ankles, soft finish; sizes 34 to 46. Price 35c.

MAIN FLOOR—QUEEN STREET

The New Suits Are Very Much to the Forefront Now

IN MEN'S WEAR

The strong feature of the new Spring Clothing stocks is the variety of patterns and color effects in materials. Men will realize, after viewing the extensive assortments, that we have drawn upon the foremost mills in existence for best and broadest choice.

AT \$7.50—Are tweed suits of strong English cloths, for early Spring wear. Dark grey and dark brown stripe effect patterns. Three button single-breasted sack coat with strong Italian cloth linings and good quality trimmings **7.50**

AT \$10.00—New Spring suits, of fine worsted finished cloths, English materials in greys and brown, neat pattern effect. Stylish single-breasted three-buttoned coat, with good trimmings and linings **10.00**

AT \$11.50—Suits of Resist worsteds, imported English cloth in dark brown and drab with faint colored pinstripes, combined with Herringbone stripe effect. Three buttoned single-breasted sack **11.50**

AT \$12.50—English worsted suits in an assortment of patterns in drabs, greys and browns, plain and neat striped patterns. Three buttoned single-breasted sack coat, with good strong linings and trimmings **12.50**

AT \$13.50—Colored worsted suits of slate grey clay twilled English worsted fabric, solid all-wool material. Three buttoned single-breasted sack coat, nicely tailored with good linings **13.50**

AT \$15.00—Fine colored worsted suits of imported English fabrics in greys, olives, stone drabs, and browns. Fashioned into three buttoned single-breasted sack shape, with long, broad lapels and best of linings and trimmings **15.00**

FINEST WORSTED SUITS—In hairline stripes and diagonal wove fabrics, medium and dark grey shades. Stylish three buttoned single-breasted sack coats, with fairly long, shapely lapels and best of linings and trimmings. Prices **\$16.50, \$18.00, \$20.00.**

MAIN FLOOR—QUEEN ST.



A Noon-hour Special For Men: Box Kip Boots, Per Pair 1.25

At 12.15 p.m. Wednesday These Boots Will go on Sale.

We hold them 'till this hour because most men cannot get here early in the morning—consequence is when a special like this comes along the best makes are quickly picked up—so here's an equal chance for everyone—Box kip leather—somewhat heavier than calf and wears excellently. Neat comfortable shapes, all blucher styles, heavy standard soles, well made; sizes 6 to 10. Time 12.15 noon. Price **\$1.25.**

SECOND FLOOR—QUEEN ST.

The Hosiery Color Range

Spring and colored Hosiery come together. Not often, however, do you find such a wide range of colors as in our new selection of Women's Hosiery.

LACE LISLE THREAD HOSE. including black, tan, helio, mauve, pink, sky, grey, old rose, etc. All in new patterns of the best German makes, colored with the finest of stainless dyes, and are double at heel and toe; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Per pair **.25**

BOYS' RIBBED COTTON HOSE, in black only, are made with double sole, heel and toe, and extra spliced knees. Only the best stainless dyes are used; sizes 6 to 10. Wednesday, per pair **.11**

MAIN FLOOR—YONGE STREET

Women's Gloves

KID GLOVES, with two dome fasteners, oversew seams and heavy embroidered backs, in tan, brown, mode, beaver, myrtle and navy; well finished with blown fingers that show the fine quality of the skins. Per pair **.65**

MAIN FLOOR—YONGE STREET

Noteworthy Value in Trunks

This is a sturdily built "Square" Canvas-covered Trunk, steel bound, half-inch hardwood slats, covered tray and hat box, also extra dress tray, two outside leather straps riveted to sheet iron bottom; choice of three sizes, 32, 34 and 36 inches. Extra value at **4.15**

BASEMENT

You Can Always Count on Candy

It's one thing that always makes friends, providing it's pure and fresh and toothsome, which qualities you'll find standing out in the following:

- Chocolate tid bits, per lb. **30c.**
- Toasted marshmallows, per lb. **25c.**
- Globe chocolates, per lb. **20c.**
- Pascall's English barley sugar in glass jars, 1/2 lb. size, **15c;** 1 lb. size, **30c.**

MAIN FLOOR—CENTRE

Put These on Your Shopping List

Rain Coats, Wash Dresses, Capes and Coats

NOW'S THE TIME YOU MOST NEED YOUR RAINCOAT—To protect your new suit and frock from showers; we have many styles of coats for auto traveling, or street wear, shower and dust proof, in moire silk, stripe silk, corded silk, paramatta cloth, roseberry cloth, cravenette panama, silk shepherd's check, very moderately priced **\$7.00, \$9.75, \$10.00, \$12.75, \$15.00.**

TUB DRESSES FOR \$2.50 AND \$2.75—Made of English foulard prints, percales, some from an American maker, others from our own factory, large assortment of colors and plain white; all sizes, 32 to 42 bust. Prices **\$2.50 and \$2.75.**

"MILITAIRE" CAPES OF BROADCLOTH FOR \$7.50—A most attractive garment is the long sweeping broadcloth cape. We're showing a very nice assortment of shades, in one of the most popular styles, straight military collar of blending shades of velvet, trimmed with gold braid and soutache trimmed with buttons, splendid range of pastel shades, peacock, sky blue, champagne, tan, pearl grey, reseed, myrtle, ashes of roses. Price **7.50**

SPRING COAT FOR \$12.75—52 inches long, 7-8 fitted, long lapel collar, new sleeve, splendidly tailored, the material is a beautiful quality all-wool French diagonal wide wale cheviot, splendid assortment of shades, tan, British mustard, taupe, pearl grey. **12.75**

SECOND FLOOR—JAMES ST.

Young Women May Choose From the Season's Accepted Styles

Few suits could match this splendid line (as illustrated) for style and make, at even more money. It's faultlessly modish and requires but a glance to convey its splendid values to you.

THE "SHARKSKIN" MATERIAL from which it is made at once appeals to the young woman who buys with the thought of good service and a good lasting appearance. The coat is cut in the single-breasted style, fastening with three buttons and finished with the fashionable shawl collar of inlaid silk; the skirt is pleated in a popular style. Colors include aeroplane, ashes of violet, grey, amethyst, ashes of roses, wood brown, and black; sizes 32, 34 and 36. Lengths 35 to 38. Price **14.00**

BALANCES OF BROKEN LINES AND COLORS GOING AT 8.50

From among our Young Women's Suits we gathered up all odd sizes and broken color lines, and out they must go Wednesday. There are just forty-five in the lot, which means an early visit if you'd secure one. They're of all-wool worsted, made in the popular single-breasted three-button style with pleated skirts, in colors of cadet, blue, amethyst, rose, brown, navy and black; sizes 32, 34 and 36 in the lot, with lengths of 35 to 38. Eight o'clock price **8.50**



Boys' Suits \$8.50 and \$10; Top Coats \$5



In this high-grade clothing, qualities decidedly out of the ordinary, and styles showing distinctly superior fashion touches, are combined with the highest character of workmanship. They excel at retaining their dressy shape and for long, steady wear.

SPRING TOPPER COATS, of fawn covert cloth, smartly tailored in single-breasted style, fly front, stitched cuffs, side vents, extra good trimmings; sizes 29 to 34. Price **5.00**

BLOOMER SUITS, continually gaining in favor. These of all-wool navy blue cheviot. Two-button single-breasted sack coat, with long lapels and cuffs on sleeves. Full fitting strap and buckle bloomers, with belt loops and side, hip and watch pockets. Best quality linings; sizes 28 to 33. Price **8.50**

THREE-PIECE SUITS, three-button double-breasted. Very dressy imported English worsted, in the favorite mid-grey, with small stripe. Italian cloth linings, knee pants. Beautifully tailored throughout; sizes 28 to 33. Price **10.00**

MAIN FLOOR—QUEEN STREET

A Big Showing of Our Bedroom Furniture

Never have we displayed so many new and elegant pieces even with all the great quantities that have come on our floors heretofore.

Everything you could want in finish, wood and style is here. Surface oak, fumed oak, Early English, Tuna, birds'-eye maple, Circassian walnut, mahogany finish and genuine mahogany are all shown at their best.

- Birds'-eye maple dressers **\$21.00 to \$45.00.**
- Birds'-eye maple cheffonier **\$21.50 to \$31.00.**
- Mahogany finish dresser **\$12.50 to \$27.50.**
- Mahogany finish cheffonier **\$16.75 to \$21.50.**
- White enamel dresser **\$13.25 to \$22.00.**
- White enamel cheffonier **\$17.25 to \$21.50.**
- Early English finished dressers **\$16.25 to \$27.00.**

FOURTH FLOOR

Special Price Attraction in Buying Curtains and Upholstery

The goods we are showing for Spring are so elegant in texture and rich in patterns that the prices come as a distinct surprise.

NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS AT \$1.00 PER PAIR

Have new net designs that suggest honeycombs, open borders almost heavy enough to be applique. 54 to 60 inches wide, 3 1/2 yards long in white or ivory, of extra good evenly woven cotton, finished with the overlapped edges, they are handsome and durable. Per pair **1.00**

ENGLISH CHINTZ AND ART CRETONNES, 30 inches wide, are extra good quality of cloth, with a good assortment of designs and colorings, very useful for curtains, valances and upholstery purposes. Pair **.19**

COLORLED CURTAIN SCRIM AND ETAMINES, 36 inches wide, with the pattern on both sides and with border on each edge, show a number of new and artistic designs and colorings, for halls, dens, living rooms, etc. Particularly good value and special. Per yard **.25**

ROPE PORTIERES, extending from 3 to 6 feet in width and 7 feet in length, are made of a good quality cut velvet cord, with tasseled ends, the design in tuftings with festooned rope drapings on top, the colors are green, with red; brown, with green; rose, with green; myrtle, olive, and forest green. Light and effective for doors, arches or hallways. Each **3.50**

BISSELL'S BALL-BEARING GRAND RAPIDS CARPET SWEEPER, fitted with every improvement, hardwood case, and best quality brush, easy running, perfect in construction, inexpensive, all the ideal qualities in a carpet sweeper **3.00**

BLOOMINGTON VACUUM CLEANER—A perfect hand-power machine; see the demonstration in Carpet Sweeper Section, near Rest Room, Third floor. You will realize that you need not take up your carpet this spring, but can clean it more thoroughly on the floor. The price is **25.00**

THIRD FLOOR

THE T. EATON CO LIMITED

New Marks Angles Roll 1213

Table with columns for 'New Marks' and 'Angles Roll 1213' listing various numbers and statistics.

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CLUBS IN THE C. L. A. HOLDING VOTING POWER

Messrs. Lennex, Craig and O'Loughlin Are Recommended as Auditors.

The nominations for office in the Canadian Lacrosse Association come merely this afternoon, when the three auditors were named over again. They are J. F. Lennex, J. J. Craig and H. O'Loughlin.

Following is a list of the clubs eligible to vote at the annual meeting of the association on Good Friday:

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NEALON ODDS ON CHOICE IN WINS RT JACKSONVILLE

Results of Races on Three Winter Tracks and Entries for To-day.

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TO-DAY'S ENTRIES

Oakland Entries. OAKLAND, March 14.—The entries for Emoryville are as follows:

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs, selling. Summary: 1. Magic, 107 (Hush Money), 10 to 1.

Second race—Six furlongs, selling. Summary: 1. Nealon, 107 (A. Lee), 5 to 1.

Third race—Six furlongs, selling. Summary: 1. Vreeland, 104 (S. Davis), 6 to 5.

Carling's Gold Medal Porter & Co. From Canada's Greatest Brewery. For sixty years we have brewed by the old English methods, as adopted by Bass & Co. and Guinness & Co.

Dan Hart. 125 Bay St., Squire's Cigar Store. A man said in my office yesterday: "Saturday's horse was bad. Are you picking them?" Now I want it understood that my wife comes direct from a man that "knows" yesterday's right.

Milton B., 1-1, Won. Have been in the horse business a long time, boys. Have had winning days and losing days, and still am a winner. Now

See Me To-Day. I get my wire afternoon ahead of time; know just what I am getting. Don't fail to see me today. We'll win and win sure. I know something special. Stick and you'll get yours to-day. Am with you for one good clean-up.

83-SPECIAL-83. goes Thursday. Yesterday's wire scratched. No wire will be sent to-day. \$10 for six wires; \$2 daily.

National Racing Review. Room 31, 71 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. Iowa, Mystery, Molet, Robin

Standard Turf Guide. May Each—\$3.75, \$4.15, \$4.40. AGENT—SACI QUEEN STREET WEST.

Balm Beach Gun Club. The regular weekly shoot of the above club was held on Saturday last of their grounds, Woodbine. The day was fine and some good scores were made.

WHY NOT GARAGE AT THE INTERNATIONAL. 60-66 JARVIS STREET. SHERIFF'S SALE OF AUTO. MOBILE.

Cadillac 5 Passenger Automobile. 50 h.p., with top and glass front; 1909 model. Can be seen by intending purchasers previously at Hyslop Bros. 12 to 20 Shuter St.

CURES Men & Women. The Big G for uncurable (and chronic) irritations or inflammations of the prostate gland, urethra, bladder, or in plain wrapper, prepared by Dr. J. C. Williams, 100 N. 3rd St., Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.

AMUEL MAYRUM ALLIANCE TABLE MANUFACTURERS. Established Forty Years. 102 & 104, Adelaide St. W., TORONTO.

THE ONLY REMEDY which will permanently cure Gonorrhoea, Stricture, etc. No matter how long standing. Two bottles guaranteed to cure. Call of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, 100 N. 3rd St., Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.

Glowing health is a capricious goddess, but she never forsakes the lover of BEER. Pure, sterilized spring water—choice Bavarian hops and selected barley malt—every ingredient entering into the make of Salvador is the best that money can buy. Salvador is the perfect beer for family use. Brewed, thoroughly aged and bottled by REINHARDT'S OF TORONTO. SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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Bride of Knox, Son, Whom Knox, Dad, Refuses To Recognize



This is Mrs. Philander C. Knox, Jr., who was Miss May Bolger of Providence, R.I., before she eloped with the college boy son of the secretary of state...

THINK THE DOMINION SHOULD PAY ITS SHARE

Need of Fire Protection Along the Line of the G. T. P. Emphasized by Minister of Lands.

According to the report of the minister of lands, forests and mines, the timber output of the province for the season of 1909-1910 is estimated to be from sixty to one hundred million more than last year.

Attention is called to the danger from fire along the line of construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. It was pointed out that the main line of the railway is now blocked by snow...

The silver output of Cobalt is placed at probably more than 25,000,000 ounces for the ten months of the year. Mention is made that the never-failing ore comes into yield.

The total area of crown lands disposed of in the ten months was 104,821 acres, 75,858 acres being agricultural lands, and 10,708 acres mining lands.

The revenue from lands sold and leased was \$388,752.52. An effort is being made to stop the taking up of land to strip it of its timber and then to sell it.

In the carrying out of this policy, the minister says, it is inevitable that there should be disappointment and complaint on the part of those who cannot get the timber they want, and sometimes on the part of the licensee when the department locates lots governed by their license which are good for agricultural purposes.

Only thirty military certificates were issued during the year, bringing the total to 13,987. Location certificates for the new locations being the total to 715.

Military certificates surrendered to the crown for \$50 each during the year number 161, making a total of 2213.

Thomas Blakey, occurred on Monday of last week, after an illness of several months. Mrs. Blakey was born in 1847 from Illinois. She was a life-long member of the Church of England.

Henry Courlen, 70, of Toronto, died on Monday of last week. He was born in 1840 in Ireland. He was a member of the Church of England.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. Relieve pain, whether it be neuralgic, rheumatic, sciatic, headache, stomachic, pleurisy or ovarian pains.

Price 25c at your druggist. He should supply you. If he does not, send price to us. We will forward promptly. DR. MILES' LABORATORIES, Toronto.

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IMMIGRANT EDUCATION A BURNING QUESTION

Only One-third of Settlers' Children in Manitoba Attend Schools - Flag Kept Flying.

To the Canadian Club yesterday Rev. J. S. Woodworth, superintendent of the People's Mission, Winnipeg, spoke on "Future Canadians."

This was a subject, the speaker declared, which was of the greatest social and material importance to Canada. In addition to grain, Canada was becoming a manufacturing country.

Plans have been prepared by Architect Geo. W. Gouinlock for extensively remodeling the club house, grand stand and bleachers. The promoters are figuring on spending \$10,000.

Entrance to the grounds will be gained through two large gateways instead of one. Both will be located on the south side of Morris-avenue.

Winnipeg, March 14.—There is a well defined report in railway circles here that the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway is seeking an entrance to Winnipeg.

Ernest Bushner, aged 25, killed by a falling derrick. NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., March 14.—Another fatal accident occurred at the trench of the new pipe line of the Ontario Power Co. in Queen Victoria Park to-day.

ALBANY, N.Y., March 14.—United States Senator Elihu Root has been invited to be one of the speakers at the University Club dinner in this city next Saturday night.

Do You Realize What an Important Work the Kidneys Do? Do you know that every drop of your blood goes to the kidneys hundreds of times every day?

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PRIVATE DISEASES Improvement, Merit, Nervous Debility, etc. DR. W. H. GRAHAM

GOVT A GOOD TENANT Pays Half Cost of Improvements to Rented Buildings.

NEW RAILWAY FOR WINNIPEG C. M. & St. Paul Said to Be Seeking an Entrance.

FATALITY AT THE FALLS Ernest Bushner, aged 25, Killed by a Falling Derrick.

Bureau of Labor Report. Complaint of trivial treatment by municipal clerks for statistical information is made in the annual report of the Bureau of Labor of Ontario.

VIENNA'S FUNERAL PAGEANT. VIENNA, March 14.—Not since the interment of Empress Elisabeth has Vienna witnessed a funeral so imposing as that given to Dr. Carl Lueger.

Chinese Men Elaborate Funeral. MONTREAL, March 14.—Representative Chinamen from all over the United States and Canada met in Montreal to-day to attend the funeral of Chung Fong.

Teachers for Canada. LONDON, March 14.—The secretary of the National Society has received an official letter from Canada.

MUDLAVIA—Nature's Treatment. Where you bathe in black, soft mud that draws out pain and poison.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

Table with columns for American Line, Atlantic Transport Line, White Star Line, Dominion Line, and Cruises de Luxe.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC SPECIAL TRAINS SETTLERS FROM TORONTO 10.10 P.M. DAILY THROUGH TO WINNIPEG AND WESTERN CANADA

WEST INDIES

By New "AVON" 11,500 Tons. EASTERN CRUISE, 19 days, \$85 UP From New York March 25

BERMUDA

By N.S.P. "OROTAVA" 6,000 Tons. From Pier 80 N.E. N.Y. Every Wednesday, 10 A.M.

ALLAN LINE ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS

TO LIVERPOOL. From Halifax. Hebrides, Fri. Mar. 11. Virginian, Fri. Mar. 18.

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HOTEL MOSSOP. 55-59 YONGE STREET. Absolutely Fireproof. European Plan. Rates—Rooms with bath, \$2.00 per day.

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Liquid Extract of Malt. The most invigorating preparation of its kind ever introduced to help and sustain the invalid or the athlete.

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TABLE D'HOTE MEALS

ARE SERVED ON THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. MARITIME EXPRESS. Leaving Bonaventure Union Station, Montreal, 12.00 noon.

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HOLLAND-AMERICA LINE

New Twin-Screw Steamers of 13,500 tons. NEW YORK-ROTTERDAM VIA BOULOGNE. Sailings Tuesday as per sailing list.

GO TO BERMUDA

Portly hotels, first-class steamer, fortnightly for St. Thomas, St. John's, Antigua, Guadeloupe, Barbados, Martinique, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and Demerara.

HAMBURG-AMERICAN

All Modern Safety Devices (Wireless, Etc.) London—Paris—Hamburg. Pres. Grant, Mich. 18, 1901. Kaiser's Aug. 18, 1901.

TRAVELERS' CHECKS ISSUED

Hamburg-American Line, Travelers' Bank Bldg., 63 Yonge St., Toronto, 246

Back to the Mercer

Dora Shovden has come back to the Mercer for six months. She went because the magistrate told her to in police spirit yesterday morning.

COBALT--Mining Issues Active and Instances Stronger--COBALT

Covering of Short Contracts Gives Strong Tone to Market

Substantial Advances in Some of the Cheaper Cobalts Follow Attempt to Clear up Commitments.

World Office, Monday Evening, March 14.—A much firmer undertone was displayed by certain of the Cobalts on the mining exchanges to-day and substantial recoveries were realized by some of the more prominent issues.

The improved tendency displayed by the buoyant attitude in these stocks had a sympathetic influence on the list in general.

The higher priced Cobalts were, but little changed. La Rose and Nipissing maintained steady with Saturday's closing prices. Crown Reserve sold eight points higher at \$3.82; Kerr Lake was traded in around \$3.65.

The market today was characterized by a better demand for stocks than has been observed for some days. Opinion in general at the close favored a continuation of the firm attitude.

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Symbol	Buy	Sell
Beaver Cons. Mines	204	245
Buffalo Mines Co.	225	229
Canadian Cons. Mines	112	109
Chambers - Portland	28	27 1/2
City of Cobalt	40	25
Cobalt Lake Mining Co.	22 1/2	23 1/2
Cobalt Silver Queen	60	50
Consolidated Min. & Smelt.	85	79
Frontier Cobalt Min. Co.	112	204
Green-Mechan Min. Co.	412	74
Little Nipissing	24	23 1/2
McKinlay-Savage	10	9 1/2
Northwestern	10	9 1/2
Nova Scotia Sil. Co. Min. Co.	28	17
Optim. Cobalt Mines	25	23
Peterborough	28 1/2	28
Rechercher	21 1/2	21 1/2
Silver Leaf Mining Co.	11	10 1/2
Timiskaming	68 1/2	67 1/2
Watts Mine	14 1/2	14 1/2

Symbol	Price
Chas. Brad & Co. (R. R. Bondary)	20
Argentine	10 to 12
Brazil	9 to 12
Colombian	10 to 12
Consolidated	10 to 12
Green-Mechan	10 to 12
Little Nipissing	10 to 12
McKinlay-Savage	10 to 12
Northwestern	10 to 12
Nova Scotia	10 to 12
Optim. Cobalt	10 to 12
Peterborough	10 to 12
Rechercher	10 to 12
Silver Leaf	10 to 12
Timiskaming	10 to 12
Watts Mine	10 to 12

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ELK LAKE, March 14.—People's opinions are largely moved by what they read, and in these days of publicity it is not surprising that the most written about town is considered by the public to be the most successful. I would remind you, however, that it is not always the hen that cackles the most that lays the largest eggs.

This section of the great mining community has been largely neglected in the advertisement of boom days, and it is in some respects better for it, that it has suffered the loss of capital.

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MR. GIBSON SHOWS THAT REPORT WAS MISREAD

Responsibility for Hon. Mr. Sifton's Error Did Not Lie With Bureau of Mines.

Editor World: An anonymous correspondent from Ottawa, your issue of the 12th inst., deals at considerable length with the resolution passed by the Canadian Mining Institute with reference to the statement made by Hon. Mr. Sifton regarding the number of accidents in the mines of Cobalt.

As to the resolution respecting Mr. Sifton's address, I was not present when it was passed, and do not know it was to be introduced, and heard nothing of it for ten or twelve hours afterwards. But when it was sought to place the responsibility for the inaccuracy in Mr. Sifton's speech on the bureau of mines, I pointed out that the information given in the bureau's report had been misread.

The question was as to the death rate per thousand men employed underground in the Cobalt silver mines, which Mr. Sifton had placed at 24.7.

The number of fatalities in the mines of Ontario in 1908, using the word "mines" as including producing mines, was 47, as per table on pages 65 and 70 of the bureau's report covering the year.

A scrutiny of the table shows that of these, 23 occurred in Cobalt properties, 16 being in producing mines and 7 in non-producing mines and prospects.

Of the 16 accidents in producing mines, three were above ground, leaving 13 as the number of fatal underground accidents in the producing silver mines of Cobalt during the year.

The total number of men working underground in the Cobalt mines at the time of the accident was 2416 in the producing mines, and 2416 in the non-producing mines.

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WHEN GEN. FRENCH COMES

Sir Fred Borden Denies Reports of Grand Petition Review.

OTTAWA, March 14.—(Special.)—Sir Fredrick Borden was in the house today for a fortnight's illness, and Gen. Sir John French to Canada next summer, for whom it had been stated a big military review is to be held at Petawawa.

Sir Frederick replied that he was not aware that there was to be any such assemblage of troops, but there would be a larger number than last year. Sir John French was expected to visit Canada unofficially, but with the view of seeing as much as he could of the Canadian militia. Every facility would be afforded him of seeing the militia, in camps or otherwise, and he was extremely glad to have such a distinguished soldier visit this country.

J. E. Armstrong (East Lambton) asked if the government had stationed any trade representatives in Germany in consequence of the betterment of trade relations between the two countries.

Mr. Fielding replied that this was a matter for the trade and commerce department. No trade representatives had been appointed recently.

R. L. Borden asked the premier if the error in connection with the report of the Lunenburg investigation had been corrected. The printed report had been "printed" instead of "reported" from day to day.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that Victor Geofroy, the chairman, had gone to Montreal, but that he would draw his attention to it on his return.

BOY BITTEN BY DOG

And is Hurried to Toronto for Pasture Treatment.

GALT, March 14.—(Special.)—Officers of the Waterloo County Golf and Country Club, newly elected, are: President, R. O. McCulloch; vice-presidents, G. D. Forbes and W. H. Brethaupt; secretary-treasurer, C. E. A. Dowler; directors, M. N. Todd, G. W. Forbes, W. H. Brethaupt, R. O. McCulloch, R. W. Seagram, C. J. Han-ning, A. M. Edwards, C. J. Shury and C. E. A. Dowler.

The death occurred last night of Mrs. Helen Studden, widow of James Wm. Studden of Branchton, who resided with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Poore. She was in good health at supper time, and was on her way to church. When near Main-street bridge she fell, and expired within ten minutes.

On Friday, Ernest, the 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Good, between Blair and Doon, was bitten by the family dog. The arm was badly lacerated. The dog was shot and the head sent to Toronto for examination. The lad was taken to Toronto to-night to receive Pasture treatment.

At 4:30 a.m. fire broke out in the home of Alexander Wallace, Blair-road, and destroyed the fine brick farm residence. The inmates narrowly escaped.

PARED CORN, MAY LOSE LEG

Farnworth Man is in Serious Condition From Blood Poisoning.

KINGSTON, March 14.—(Special.)—A young pullet owned by David Lewis laid an egg which measured 6 1/2 by 7 3/4 inches in circumference.

Gate receipts for the Allan Cup hockey match were \$500, half of which goes to charity.

Mrs. John Farrell, Marquette, aged 68, is dead.

R. E. Jones, Tamworth, paled a corn and cut the toe, and blood poisoning set in, and he is now in a serious condition. The leg may have to be amputated.

Desultory Trading on Wall St. Market Closes Dull and Heavy

Fluctuations in New York Stocks Continued to Fractions—Toronto Market Quiet—Investments Firm.

World Office. Monday Evening, March 14. Trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange to-day was generally restricted and the majority of the listed issues marked time in the easiest fashion. In exceptional cases, such as Nova Scotia Steel and Burt, prices were marked up, but even in these issues dealings were small, and the advances were due rather to a scarcity of the stock in the market than to any marked demand. The traction shares were the favorites (in the trading). Duluth-Superior sold at 72 during the morning session, but was slightly easier than that figure in the afternoon. Rio raised half a point from the opening sale, and closed around the bottom for the day. Twin City was steady at 114.

The labor situation is clearing somewhat and more attention will be paid to successful financing enterprises, wholesale equipment buying and general business factors. Meanwhile, the steel business comes off to-morrow and it would require only an aggressive buying to make the street again enthusiastic on the flat. The market does better this week.—Town Topics.

Canada Cement Statement. The board of directors of the Canada Cement Company have issued a balance sheet as of December 31, 1909, showing that the accounts receivable and liquid assets are in excess of accounts payable and bills payable by over \$73,000. The company has also cash in hand of \$562,285, and the liquid assets amount to \$2,812,667, or more than half the issued bonds. The company's total assets reach \$29,664,741.

ON WALL STREET. Erickson Perkins & Co. had the following: Stocks fluctuated in a desultory way all day, with alternating strength and weakness. Even the knowledge that U. S. Steel would sell ex-dividend did not arouse any enthusiasm. From this it looked as if most of the shorts in the stock question had covered, and the waiting time in the stock market, which suggests that moderate gains will be satisfied with moderate turns. Various considerations in the business world also indicate a disposition on the part of banking interests to go slow.

Chicago Railway firmen make new threat, demanding that the contract be submitted to arbitration. Bethlehem Steel works striking employees telegraphed appeal for investigation to President Taft.

Twin City Earnings. The earnings of the Twin City Rapid Transit Co. for the first week in March amounted to \$123,268, an increase over the same week last year of \$11,788, or 9.53 per cent., and of \$35,875 over the corresponding period of 1908.

Ches. & Ohio Purchase Control. NEW YORK, March 14.—It is learned from an excellent source that some time this week the deal will be completed for the purchase of Ches. & Ohio by the C. and O. Railway Co. will acquire control of the Hocking Valley and the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway Co.

Conservative Policy for Harriman. NEW YORK, March 14.—A member of the executive committee of Union Pacific says that policy of the Harriman lines for the next two or three years will be one of conservatism. In keeping with this policy, definite announcement is made by this director that there will be no increase in Southern Pacific dividend rate at the time of the May declaration, which action now contemplated for any date in the near future.

Good Showing by Ches. & Ohio. NEW YORK, March 14.—The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad purposes to purchase 110 locomotives, 7000 cars and other equipment in connection with the \$10,000,000 bond issue, and this is in line with President Willard's policy to increase the capacity of the company sufficient to handle the more favorably the greater amount of traffic that is offering. The B. and O. February report should be out this week and on the whole ought to make a most favorable comparison with last year. The stock is in a position to do a great deal better and is worth buying at least on reactions.

Legislation a Hindrance. J. S. Barbe & Co. say: The month of February has passed, in itself a dull month in business, and because of severe conditions, especially unfavorable. The activity of spring is due and would be pronounced if the legislation hindrances were out of the way. There is little doubt that business will increase naturally, altho with much caution. The rise in the stock market has been indicating this, and, in natural reactions, such as that now taking place, good stocks may be selected and purchased with assurance of profit, if held.

WALL ST. GOSSIP. Joseph says: Steel common will sell ex-dividend 1 1/4 on Wednesday, buy conservatively to-day. Big bids points are circulating on Rubber stock. Speculations: Traction and Chesapeake are good, hold Rock Islands: Buy Washbas at market.

Rock Island, Southern Pacific, Atchafalaya, Car Foundry, Union Pacific and

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REALIZING TOO GREAT FOR ABSORPTION. World Office Monday Evening, March 14.

Recent realizing in some of the local speculative issues has proven a little too much for the market, and at the moment there is a tendency to shy away from further offerings. This condition can only be changed by the appearance of new responsible buying. This does not appear to be in sight immediately, and sagging values are therefore quite promising. Investment securities have by far the best undertone, special instances of which are Bank of Commerce and Canada Permanent. The money problem is receiving more consideration at London and New York, and this is a matter that can afford to be watched the next few weeks. HERBERT H. BALL.

Table of stock prices including Union Bank, Royal Bank, and various other securities.

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SUITS show shorter coats, with long roll collars and pleated skirts. Some have a touch of the Russian idea—a slight blousing at the waist with a belt.

COLORS for suits this year include four different greens, five blues, ten greys, five roses, and about five browns.

MATERIALS for suits range through the serges, Panamas and tweeds.

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DRESSES of one piece, though not on Princess lines, will continue in good style for indoor wear all spring, and for general use as the summer advances.

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THIS EVENT for Wednesday should be regarded in the light of an authoritative summary of the early fashion tendencies of Spring, and an authoritative pronouncement upon the approved features as sanctioned by conservative taste. We feel sure that gentlewomen of Toronto prefer moderation rather than extremes, and in that confidence we have selected our models, and fixed the degree of innovation countenanced by this store.

The Cloak Department will be converted into a veritable Costume Salon of Spring, a demonstration of the modes peculiar to 1910. We will endeavor to carry out the spirit of the season in our decorations and all the appointments of the department will be harmonized with the Spring idea.

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UNDERSKIRTS of silk are shown in twenty different styles—new blues, shot effects, greens, wine shades; \$2.95 to \$8.50; some tailored, some deeply flounced.

WAISTS have been made chiefly in the yoke effect this spring. White is to be stronger than ever. Many are of pure Irish linen, or thin, very sheer lawn.

EMBROIDERY on the waists often shows the influence of the Russian style. Others are done with Irish embroidery. Though tailored waists are shown, "dressy" ones will likely be the more popular this season—so they say.

SLEEVES are full more or less from the shoulder to the elbow this Spring; whether it be coat, waist or suit. From the elbow down moderately close and straight and medium low wrists.

SHANTUNG or Tussor silk will be a leading material among the waists and dresses.

COATS for the out-door Spring are made semi-fitting, with long rolls and deep lapels—serges, lustres, shantung—many in tourist and motor styles. Also utility coats of mannish effect.

CORSET This year are as important as ever to the foundation of the general fashionable effect. Long, sweeping lines over the hips are imperative, and the new corsets provide accordingly.

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PRINCESS SLIPS will again be featured in the Lingerie fashions for spring and summer, as also two-piece suits.

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